

## Message Text

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ACTION ARA-14

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R 152019Z JUN 77  
FM AMEMBASSY KINGSTON  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5840  
INFO AMEMBASSY BRIDGETOWN  
AMEMBASSY GEORGETOWN  
AMEMBASSY NASSAU  
AMEMBASSY PORT OF SPAIN

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E.O. 11652: NA  
TAGS: EOIL, EGEN, JM  
SUBJECT: ESSO REFINERY ON STRIKE

FOR THE SECOND TIME IN THREE MONTHS, THE ESSO REFINERY  
(JAMAICA'S ONLY REFINERY) HAS GONE ON STRIKE. AS  
PREVIOUSLY, MANAGEMENT AND SUPERVISORY PERSONNEL HAVE CON-  
FINED TO OPERATE THE REFINERY AND MAINTAIN NORMAL PETROLEUM  
SUPPLIES. THE ISSUE, AS PREVIOUSLY, CENTERS ON WHETHER DOUBLE  
PAY WILL BE AWARDED FOR SUNDAY WORK. LABOR MINISTER ISAACS  
SAID JUNE 14 THAT HE WOULD TAKE BACK TO WORK ACTION IF  
PETROLEUM SUPPLIES ARE INTERRUPTED.  
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